GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
LOK SABHA

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COIN OPERATED PHONES
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) the number of coin operated phones set up in various States as on date;

(b) whether most of the phones always remain out of order and are never attended to;

(c) if so, the number of such telephones which have been rendered out of service in each State;

(d) whether the Government propose to install more coin operated phones during this year; and

(e) if so, the details thereof, State-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI TA SIKDAR)

(a) to (e): The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.